

## Docket Number: PALM-3690.SG IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE Patent Application

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In re Application of: William Robert Hanson and Yoon Kean Wong

Serial No.: 09/993,732

Examiner: Chang, Yean Hsi

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Art Unit: 2835

For: MULTI-FUNCTIONAL COVER INTEGRATED INTO SUB-PANEL OF PORTABLE ELECTRONIC

DEVICE

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# REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL (SUBSECTION(B) OF 35 U.S.C. § 132)

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 for the above-identified application.

1.	Subm	Submission required under a filing under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114					
	a.	[ X ] Previously submitted					
	i.	[X] Consider the amendment(s)/ reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 previously filed on					
	ii.	[ ] Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on					
	iii.	[ ] Other					
	b.	[ ] Enclosed					
	i.	[ ] Amendment/Reply					
	ii.	[ ] Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)					
	iii.	[ ] Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)					
2.	2. Miscellaneous						
	a.	[ ] Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a period of months. (period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months: Fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(I) required)					
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### Ext nsion f T rm

3.	The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136
apply.	

(a)	[]	Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136
		(fees: 37 C.F.R. 1.17(a)-(d) for the total number of months checked below:)

Extension	<u>Fee</u>		
[ ] one month	\$110.00		
[ ] two months	\$420.00		
[ ] three months	\$950.00		
[ ] four months	\$1,480.00		

Fee \$

If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor.

(b) [ ] Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.

### FEES DUE

The RCE fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e) is required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 when the RCE is filed.

CLAIMS								
	NO. OF CLAIMS		EXTRA CLAIMS	RATE	FEES			
Basic Application	\$770.00							
Total Claims	22	Minus 29=	0	X \$18 =	\$0.00			
Independent Claims	2	Minus 3=	0	X \$86 =	\$0.00			
If multiple depe	\$0.00							
TOTAL APPL	\$770.00							

### **PAYMENT OF FEES**

- 1. The full fee due in connection with this communication is provided as follows:
- [X] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No.: 23-0085.
  A duplicate copy of this authorization is enclosed.
- [X] A check in the amount of \$ 770.00
- [ ] Charge any fees required or credit any overpayments associated with this filing to Deposit Account No.: 23-0085.

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Respectfully submitted,

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